



Trinity News

April 2019

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POINTS OF INTEREST:

- Wed – WW & Confirmation
- Wed – Choir Practice
- Wed – Holy Week Services
- Apr 2: Treehouse Bd. Mtg.
- Apr 5: 4-H Meeting
- Apr 7: Church Council Mtg.
- Apr 9: Text Study
- Apr 11: Men's Bible Study
- Apr 11: Deacon's Meeting
- Apr 14: Palm Sunday Brunch
- Apr 18: Maundy Thursday
- Apr 19: Good Friday
- Apr 25: Women's Bible Study
- Apr 28: Property Committee Meeting



from the desk of...

Pastor Lisa

Dear Friends in Christ,

I was recently invited to Chicago to attend the ELCA's Domestic Mission Unit's annual meeting on behalf of ELCA Disability Ministries. Domestic Mission works with the areas of faith formation, leadership, poverty and justice ministries, ethnic and multicultural ministries, advocacy, congregational vitality, and synodical partners in mission. In short, they help all of the ELCA to be engaged in the mission of serving and loving God and others in our ministries here. They are great supports for synods and congregations, and I was humbled by the invitation to join them for a couple of days. It was great to share about the ministry we do here together, and how it intersects with my work with disability ministries.

The theme of their meeting had to do with sharing stories of the many and varied people of God. Throughout the course of the meeting we got to hear many stories of how faith leads to action for the betterment of our church, and for the lives of our brothers and sisters in Christ. My take-away was this: God in Jesus Christ loves and embraces all, and by Christ's dying and rising we have been freed to take our good news of Christ's love to the world – sharing our stories of God's work amongst us.

As we approach Holy Week and Easter, I invite you to take the time to share stories of your encounters with God with one another. What kinds of ministries/vocations has God called you to be a part of throughout your life? Where do you see the hand of God at work, freeing you from burdens and struggles so that you can live into your new life in Christ? Our congregation, our denomination has great stories of faith to share as we walk the way of the cross

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PRAYER LISTS

Larry Abernathy - TLC member
Ruth Anderson - Aunt of Joe Wall
Laura Bergeleen - Granddaughter of Marilyn Tounsley
Wade Beringer - Friend of Dotty Hieb
Oona Bieberly - Friend of MaryAlice Larson
Leonard Boom - Son of Marlys & Roger Boom
Lowell Carlson - Friend of Judy Swanson
Vivian Cleland - TLC member
Bobby Cournoyer - Friend of Mary Normile
Michael Currey - Brother of Allen Currey
Kathy Edgar - Aunt of Deanna Muellenberg Hagan
Kayleen Haiar - Granddaughter of Charlotte & Loren Geerdes
Bob Juhl - Father of Teena Mosel
Marcia Kindt - Grandmother to Bryan Kindt & Eryanne Normile
Jackie Normile - Sister of Mike Normile
Gunner Olesen - Nephew of LeAnn Duvall
Wendy Peterson - Friend of Judy Campbell
Denise Plecity - Sister of Deanna Hagan
Kane Roberts - Friend of Roger & Judy Campbell
Dedra Shaw - Friend of Dixie Lloyd
Georgia Simpson - Friend of Gary & Neoma Harris
Delores Stoll - Friend of Dotty Hieb
Lyal Stoll - Friend of Dotty Hieb
Boyd Thiel - Family friend of Dianne Graves
Lynette Van Beber - Sister in law of Kay Hines
John Wall - Father of Joe Wall
Sylvia Wilmott - Friend of Alice Bunker

To Be Remembered:

Connie Bailey
Ray Goeden
Jared Houska
Winnie Keller
Amy Kenobbie
Deah Killion
Larry Larsen
Rianna Laurens
Mariah Normile
Clifford Priebe

Sue Robinson
Joel Sprecher
Cindy Wilkens

Those in service to our country:

We pray for all the men and women in military units who are on active duty, and their families.

Missions of the Church:

We pray for Prison Congregations of America, St. Dysmas Congregation at Springfield, SD as they continue to do your work behind prison walls.

We also pray for Wopila House of Rosebud, a mission of the South Dakota Synod.



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Trinity Service and Religious Education Schedule

Sunday Worship: 9:30 a.m. with communion on first and third Sundays, choir sings on second and fourth Sundays.

Saturday Worship: 5:30 p.m. with communion.

Wowsome Wednesday & Confirmation Class:
 Wednesday, 5:30 meal; 6:00 class, mid-September thru late April.

Church Council meets the first Sunday of the month at 10:30 a.m. at Church.

Deacons meet the second Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m. at Church.

CELEBRATIONS

BIRTHDAYS

Apr. 1: Bryan Bunker
 Apr. 1: Lena Peterson
 Apr. 6: Arlene Shrake
 Apr. 7: Riel Moran
 Apr. 7: Soren Moran
 Apr. 7: Michael Schaub
 Apr. 9: Jonah Mosel
 Apr. 10: Philip Carlson
 Apr. 11: William Brown
 Apr. 12: Charlotte Cadwell
 Apr. 14: Leonard Buum
 Apr. 15: Sharon Nelson
 Apr. 15: Travis Thompson
 Apr. 17: Sutton Hamiel
 Apr. 20: Marilyn Tounsley

Apr. 23: William Woodruff
 Apr. 23: Dave Mohr
 Apr. 25: Gia Houska
 Apr. 25: Jenzina Huber
 Apr. 27: Brad Rasmussen
 Apr. 30: Katelyn Hines

ANNIVERSARIES

Apr 4: Chris & Melissa Hall
 Apr 8: Gary & Carol Kringen
 Apr 29: Joe & Cynthia Wall



APRIL SERVICE MINISTERS

Date	Host	Lector	Lawn Care
April 7	Open	Open	
April 14	Open	Mark Huber	
April 21	Open	Open	
April 28	Mike & Alice Bunker	Alice Bunker	

Trinity Lutheran Church Church Council Meeting

March 3, 2019

Call to Order: Sharmel Olson

Devotions: Neoma Harris

Additions to the Agenda: None

Reading last month's minutes: Motion by Dick; Seconded by Terry. Passed

Guest Speaker: Jeff Tveit updated us on the endowment fund.

Funds that can be accessed for the congregation's use:

- 20% Mission congregations
- 20% Mission outreach
- 20% Youth & scholarships
- 40% Trinity and community outreach
- The amount of interest to be used for this year is \$3052.
- Jeff also wanted to remind us that the Action cards can be used for any service projects.
 - Example: buying paint, shingling the little shed, tearing up carpet, etc.
- Sharmel, Dave, Terry, & Roger on for signature on the account.

Treasurer's Report:

- No report

Property report:

- Roof = we have 2 companies interested in giving us an estimate.
- Painting = March 8th meeting with Janeen to get an estimate.
- Flooring = we have a couple estimates coming in.
- Money = Estimate of \$18,000 toward flooring and painting inside of church
- Monthly meeting will be set up – maybe 3rd Sunday

Worship report:

- Lenten services are all set up with confirmation students hosting and lecturing each week.
- Jake Hanson will be preaching on March 24th.

Stewardship:

- No one signed up for the Banquet this year.
- Prayer concern for leadership and ministry of Church on the Street.

Education:

- Several camp fundraisers are scheduled.
- March 2nd the Motorcyclist luncheon earned us around \$500.
- Young lady's bible study to be started and led by Kristi Clark.
- Milestone – Preschool/Kindergarten will have their milestone on March 24.

Deacons:

- Updated prayer list, cards to members.
- Planning game day event on March 31.

Unfinished business:

- Prairie River conf is March 3.

New Business:

- March 10th Intergenerational event
- Thrivent Choice \$ to pay for Pizza and pop. Motion by Dick, and was 2nd by Neoma. Vote passed.
- Treehouse - taking over the shed, tables and chairs, instead of rent.

Noisy offering:

- March offering to go to the Banquet
- April offering to go to Big Brothers/Big Sisters of America

March offering teller for March is Neoma Harris.

April offering teller is Terry Menzie.

April devotions will be Terry Menzie.

Lord's Prayer

Next meeting: April 7, 2019

Attendance: Dick, Neoma, Terry, Rosemary, Sharmel, Mianna, and Pastor Lisa.

Absent: Mike

Submitted by: Rosemary Mohr

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together. That's because we have the greatest story of all at our foundation, speaking life into us each day. Where are the forgiveness and new life you have been given by Christ seen in your every day? Who needs to hear that story, too?

In Christ,

Pastor Lisa

TLC Deacon Meeting Minutes

Tues March 19, 2019 @ 7pm

(Changed from Thurs March 14, 2019)

PRESENT: Dotty Hieb, Deb Selland, Cortney Haugen, Karen Niles, Judy Swanson, and Pastor Lisa

ABSENT: Dianne Graves, Dave Larson, Alice Bunker, and Erica Sundall

DEVOTIONS: "Lord, Give Me Boldness", Reading by Dotty Hieb

Approval of Prior Meeting Minutes of Feb 21, 2019: Motion by Judy Swanson/ Seconded by Cortney Haugen. Motion Carried.

TREASURER 'S REPORT: None at this time.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. Intergenerational Blanket Activity: rescheduled / 8 out of 12 blankets done
2. Member Meal Certificate: Alice and Pastor Lisa to Follow-up
3. Hearing Devices: Have 4 Headphones and are available at church. Keith Osterberg will set them up and has done so for some church members already.
4. Follow-up on Transportation Program: In Progress. People can contact Pastor Lisa or church members for assistance in getting to worship or church activities.
5. Follow-up on Home Visit Opportunities: Pastor Lisa is working on a lay-led home communion liturgy that people who wish to do visits may also bring with them.
6. Election of Officer Discussion: Dotty did a revised term list, which was distributed.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Family Fun Night Discussion: ACTIVITIES: Board games, Puzzles, coloring books, Reading Corner
 - a. MENU: BBQ's Potato Chips (individual bags)
 - b. Fruit and Cookies/Bars (1 dozen provided by Deacons)
 - c. DOOR PRIZES: State Theater Movie Pkg (5) Adult/ Teen/Child
 - d. Set up at 2:30 p.m./Work in Shifts
2. April Scholarship Noisy Offering: Pastor Lisa to revise and email to Council. No brunch in April.
3. St. Patrick's Day Camp Fundraiser: Good help/ Successful
4. Easter Cards (Easter 4/21): Pastor Lisa will order cards. Holy Week starts April 14th. Cards need to be mailed by April 11th, which is the next Deacon meeting date. (Note: mail before 2pm on the outside box). Pastor Lisa will send out an email when cards arrive. We also have a few boxes from last year if any Deacon wants a box sooner. Cortney will do labels/ will be given a revised Deacons list.
5. Holy Week Schedule Reminder - April 14th is Palm Sunday
6. Standing Items:
 - a. A Pastor Lisa Updates/Comments- Previously discussed
 - b. Prayer List- Updated by Dotty and Cortney
 - c. Community Activities/ Meal Gift Certificates - Discussion concerning Crisis Center. (Will hold until this Summer) Flood Relief - Info shared by Pastor Lisa and several options discussed.

- d. Reminder to Review Membership List -Make Calls to members
- e. Events of Month and Months Ahead -
 - Scholarship – 3 students
 - Deacon Prayer List -2 Deacons switched months
 - To Be Remembered List - Revised by Deacons
- f. Next Meeting - Thurs April 11, 2019

CLOSING: LORD'S PRAYER

Submitted by Deb Selland, Secretary



Holy Week Services

9:30 a.m. on April 14 – Palm Sunday Service

7:00 p.m. on April 18 – Maundy Thursday Service

7:00 p.m. on April 19 – Good Friday Service

APRIL 2019

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1	2 5:30 p.m. Treehouse Board Meeting	3	4	5 6:00 p.m. 4-H meeting	6 5:30 p.m.: Worship w/Communion
7 9:30 a.m.: Worship w/Communion 10:30 a.m. Church Council Meeting	8	9 2:00 p.m. Text Study	10 5:30 p.m. Wowsome Wednesday - Confirmation 7:15 p.m. Choir	11 9:15 a.m. Men's Bible Study 7:00 p.m. Deacons Meeting	12	13 5:30 p.m.: Worship w/Communion
14 Palm Sunday 9:30 a.m.: Worship 10:30 a.m. Palm Sunday Brunch (Camper's Fundraiser)	15	16	17 5:30 p.m. NO Wowsome Wednesday 7:15 p.m. Choir	18 7:00 p.m. Maundy Thursday service	19 12:00 p.m. Good Friday service @ Water of Life 7:00 Good Friday service @ Trinity	20 5:30 p.m. Worship w/Communion
21 Easter 9:30 a.m.: Worship w/Communion	22	23	24 5:30 p.m. Last Wowsome Wednesday Night	25 12:00 p.m. Women's Bible Study	26	27 5:30 p.m. Worship w/Communion
28 9:30 a.m.: Worship 10:30 a.m. Property Bd meeting	29	30				